Docket No.: 21.193

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Kazunori TAKAHASHI

Serial No. 09/350,144

Group Art Unit: 2615

Confirmation No. 7639

Filed: July 9, 1999

Examiner: Robert Chevalier

IMAGE CONTROLLING CIRCUIT, IMAGE CONTROLLING METHOD, AND COMPUTER READABLE MEDIUM, WHEREIN PROGRAMS TO EXECUTE THE IMAGE CONTROLLING METHOD ON A COMPUTER SYSTEM ARE STORED

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 22, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on January 22, 2003

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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REPLY/AMENDMENT **FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No. 21.1935 09/350,144 Application Number Filing Date July 9, 1999 First Named Inventor Takahashi KAZUNORI Group Art Unit 2615 Robert Chevalier

AMOUNT ENGLOSED

\$288.00 Examiner Name

AWOUNT ENCLOSED			\$200.00 Examine		er Name	Robert Chevaller			
FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)									
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Number Extra	Rate		Calculations	
TOTAL CLAIMS	43		-	27 =	16	X \$ 18.00	= \$	288.00	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	15		-	15 =	0	X \$ 86.00	=	0.00	
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>January 22, 2004</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010)):									
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)									
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)									
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)									
Total of above Calculations =								288.00	
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)									
TOTAL FEES DUE =							\$	288.00	
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- (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
- (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

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METHOD OF PAYMENT

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Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.

No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

 \square If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

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Deposit Account Name

STAAS & HALSEY LLP

The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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Signature / aul W. Bibowie Date	9	fanuay 2≥, 2004 Januar 22, 2004